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*Lyndon Johnson*  
The President  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. President:

I met with President Truman at his office in Independence yesterday to give him an intelligence briefing on the world situation in keeping with your earlier directive. The briefing included the latest military and political developments in the USSR, status of the Sino-Soviet dispute, the situation in Communist China, South-east Asia, trouble spots in Africa, current developments in Latin America, Cyprus, the Middle East and Cuba.

Mr. Truman was most interested in the briefing. He expressed warm appreciation of your instruction that he be kept posted. He said it was the nicest thing any President had ever done for an ex-President. He was extremely complimentary of you and your accomplishments, and asked me to tell you that he continues to be ready to be of help to you in any way he can. He said he finds these briefings to be useful in this regard, and I have arranged to continue them periodically.

Mr. Truman was in high good humor, most alert and responsive. It was a delight to spend those two hours with him.

With great respect,

Faithfully yours,

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